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BROCKWAY CENTRE MARKET.  
Reports received every Wednesday by O. W. S. S.

|                   |        |
|-------------------|--------|
| Wheat No 1 White  | \$1 00 |
| Wheat No 2 " "    | 75     |
| Wheat No 3 " "    | 70     |
| Wheat No 2 Red    | 82     |
| Wheat No 2 Spring | 92     |
| Oats              | 40     |
| Barley, 18 lbs    | 1 30   |
| Powr              | 60     |
| Corn              | 40     |
| Dressed Hops      | 7 00   |
| Butter            | 16     |
| Eggs              | 13     |

POULTRY.  
Chickens 8 cts per lb.  
Turkeys 10 " " "  
Geese 10 " " "

Our genial friend James McArthur, not meeting with the success he expected to in Nebraska, returned to this place on Monday evening. We have secured his services to canvass for us. He will take your \$1 bills which insure you the weekly visits of the EXPOSITOR for one year. Any favors extended Mr McArthur, as our representative, will be duly appreciated.

## Local Expositions.

—Election is over.

—Did anyone April fool you.

—Election passed off very quietly.

—Jas Brown has a new sign in front of his place.

—Omar D. Stevens has sold his farm to Jas Moffatt.

—The boys are returning in large crowds from the woods.

—Mrs J. F. Holden visited in town for a few days this week.

—H. B. Gough has placed a new sign in front of his place of business.

—Mrs W. H. Palmer is visiting at her father's, P. Chamberlain, in Ingersoll, Ont.

—Miss Ada Baker and Julia Minnie of Port Huron, were visiting friends in this place this week.

—King Holden and Wm Davis intended starting for Dakota next week. We wish the boys success.

—Miss Sarah Becker and aunt, of Petrolia, were the guests of W. H. Palmer and family this week.

—School was closed on Saturday last for two weeks to allow some needed repairing done on the school house.

—We notice the pleasant face of our friend Wm Allen the painter, in our midst who has just returned from the woods.

—Robt Monerey is building a fine large barn on his lot in town. He will soon commence the erection of a house.

—Michael's bankrupt stock of goods will be sold by public auction to the highest bidder on the 12th of this month.

—H. B. Gough is selling furniture and collars very cheap. Notice the prices he quotes you in his new ad this week.

—F. A. Baker has placed a neat and tasty prescription case in his drug store. This is a sign of prosperity is it not Fred?

—S. B. Hughes has opened a barber shop and fitted it up in first-class style in the building in the rear of the Commercial House.

—Low Presley's lease of the Lynn hotel expires April 30th, and J. R. Burley will step in as landlord for the next two years.

—Dr Howell has returned from a two weeks tour through the southern states and informs us that he went down as far as New Orleans.

—The sheet and pillow case social held at Dr A. Mitchell's was the event of the season in the social line. A very pleasant evening was spent and 30.25 was realized.

—Miss Mary Taylor has returned from Smith Creek where she was visiting relatives and is at present the guest of W. D. Ramshaw.

—F. S. Poole intends going into the agricultural implement business again this summer and has rented the building formerly occupied by J. D. Vivian.

—Prof Sturges succeeded in organizing a singing class in this place on Saturday night last. All who have joined speak highly of Mr Sturges as a teacher.

—Notice the prospectus of Godsey's Lady's book in this issue. Parties wishing to secure this fine magazine can do so as we will club the EXPOSITOR with it for the sum of \$2.50.

—James Cooper has severed his connections as clerk in W. H. Palmer's store and accepted a similar position in Holden Bros. Miss Lottie Utley is the new clerk in W. H. Palmer's.

—The attention of our readers is called to the change of adv of W. H. Palmer in this issue. He is daily receiving new goods and would be pleased to have you call and examine them.

—Last week we gave our readers an article on the improvements of our fast developing country. In regard to tump fences the one on John Holden's farm surpasses anything we have ever beheld. Over one mile of fence was pulled and placed by J. Devall which is a credit to the builder.

—We received a letter from our friend G. W. McKinnon last week. He has secured a position traveling for a Chicago beer house, has seven hundred miles to make in 30 days and writes that he is well pleased with his

position as well as the country. We return thanks to him for Wisconsin papers.

—We are informed that a sugar party was gotten up by the young people and held at H. S. Wait's on Monday evening last, for Albert Phillips who has been visiting old friends in this vicinity. With warm sugar and pleasant games they all had a very enjoyable time. Albert returned to his home in Evergreen township on Tuesday.

—Only the people who use them can appreciate the comfort and convenience of the Dictionary Holders and Handy Tables manufactured by L. W. Noyes, 99 and 101 West Monroe St., Chicago. Their unique design and elegance of finish make them a useful ornament to any home. For sale by all newsdealers or sent express prepaid on receipt of price. Illustrated circular sent free on application.

—We noticed in the Toronto Mail an article of a woman who was buried 14 years ago. When alive she weighed 300 pounds. Her body was taken up for removal last week and it was quite natural except being of a yellowish color. It had the appearance of marble and was very hard. The body was covered with water except the hands which were decomposed. At the time of removal the body weighed 300 pounds. The ground where she was buried was a yellowish clay.

—A Jew peddler opened his barstools in front of the place where the poles were held on Monday last. His goods were all shoddy articles and of course sold them very cheap and everybody jumped at what they thought were bargains. This kind of business should not be allowed in our village, as it takes trade away from our merchants, but how can we avoid it. There is one course to take and that is, get the village incorporated and tax such peddlers so that they would seek other means to sell their goods.

—It is a fact, well known to every newspaper man, that many subscribers are inclined to sneer at mere personal items. What does it amount to, and who cares if John Jones, or his wife or his cousin, or his aunt has gone to Podunk to pass a few days with old friends. Such persons, however forget, what newspaper men always remember, that a large proportion of his patronage is made up of people who were once citizens of the place. Scattered over the whole country, from Michigan to Florida, the interest they take in affairs at their old homes is confined almost entirely to the whereabouts, and experiences of old acquaintances. To such persons such items are always interesting, and for their benefit they are to a great extent published.

A SAD ACCIDENT.—As John Ellis, was falling timber in the woods in the township of Lynn on Friday last he was struck by a falling tree and seriously if not fatally injured. He is under the treatment of Drs Mitchell and Nay.

BEST BOOK FOR EVERYBODY.—The new Illustrated edition of Webster's Dictionary, containing three thousand engravings, is the best book for everybody that the press has produced in the present century, and should be regarded as indispensable to the well-regulated home, reading-room, library, and place of business.—GOLDEN ERA.

BOYS AND GIRLS READ THIS.—Many boys and girls think that if they can go to a dance or theatre or some place of such amusement, no matter what you or ma says, it makes a man or woman of them. Young men, young women, a greater mistake never entered your minds. If you wish to be a man or woman do as your parents tell you. They are older than you and have passed the ordeal of youngsters life and know what is best for you. Look at our greatest men and see when their habits were formed and you will find it was always in their young days. Habits formed at the age of twenty-one are almost always sure to follow you through life. Young men listen to what your parents say and shun evil companions and your journey through life will be pleasant and successful.

MORAL.

MR EDITOR.—The school in district No 5, Greenwood, taught by Eugene Law closed on Thursday last for the winter term. A goodly number of the parents of the scholars visited the school on the last day, to listen to the readings, recitations and dialogues which were well produced and the afternoon passed off very pleasantly. A few remarks were made by the visitors and teacher. Rev C. B. Clark delivered a splendid speech and closed the proceedings by prayer.

In the evening a party was given for the teacher by Mr Letts family

which was well attended by the young folks and after spending a few hours all bid the teacher good bye wishing him success wherever he may go.

A SUBSCRIBER.

## AMERICAN NEWSPAPERS IN 1883.

From the new edition of Messrs. Geo. P. Rowell & Co's American Newspaper Directory, which is now in press, it appears that the newspapers and periodicals of all kinds issued in the United States and territories now reach the imposing total of 11,190. This is an increase of 385 in twelve months. Taking the states one by one, the newspaper growth in some is very considerable. The present total in New York State, for instance, is 1,399—a gain of 80 in the past year. The increase in Pennsylvania is 48, the increasing number being 943. Nebraska's total grew from 175 to 201, and Illinois' from 800 to 904. A year ago Massachusetts had 420 papers; now the number is 438. In Texas the new papers outnumbered the suspensions by 8, and Ohio now has 738 papers instead of 692. The most remarkable change has occurred in the Territories, in which the daily papers have grown from 43 to 63, and the weeklies from 109 to 213—Dakota being the chief area of activity. The number of monthlies throughout the country grew from 976 to 1,034, while the dailies leaped from 990 to 1,063. The figures given above are exclusive of Canada, which possesses a total of 600. It is interesting to note that the newly-settled regions of the Canadian North-West are productive of newspapers as well as of wheat, for the number of journals issued in Manitoba was nearly doubled during the year.

## TOWNSHIP ELECTION.

The Republican ticket was elected by a large majority.

Monday morning dawned upon us bright with every indication of a fine day, therefore a large crowd came to town to cast their votes, each one anxious that their side would win. Nearly every man on the tickets had slips consequently the number of split tickets was large. The poles were closed at five o'clock and the following count was made:

FOR SUPERVISOR.

John D. Jones.....247  
Jeremiah Johnson.....129

Majority for Jones.....118

FOR CLERK.

George N. Turner.....258  
John S. Duffie.....116

Majority for Turner.....142

FOR TREASURER.

James Harris.....263  
William Hodgins.....115

Majority for Harris.....150

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE (full term)

John W. Gustin.....270  
William Gowan.....90

Majority for Gustin.....174

FOR COMMISSIONER OF HIGHWAYS.

Martin Monerey.....222  
George W. Barrett.....175

Majority for Monerey.....67

FOR SCHOOL INSPECTOR (two years)

Thomas Hickey.....198  
James E. Lutz.....179

Majority for Hickey.....19

FOR CONSTABLES.

Franklin Barker.....255  
David Orser.....258  
Thos Emery.....354  
Joseph Middleton.....240  
James Golt.....123  
Hiram Manning.....134  
Lansing Sponenburgh.....121

There being a majority for Franklin Barker, David Orser, Thos Emery and Joseph Middleton, over all they were declared elected.

## CONSUMPTION.

It is said that 50,000 people die annually in the United States alone from this disease. In some sections of the country one death in every three is from Consumption. This can be, and should be avoided; our people are too careless about an ordinary cough or cold, and other symptoms of throat and lung affections that lead to this disease. You should arrest it while it is in the germ. Two or three doses of Dr. Bosanko's Cough and Lung Syrup will remove an ordinary cough or cold. It does not dry up a cough like many preparations on the market and leave the disease behind it, but acts directly on the throat and bronchial tubes, removing all the phlegm and morbid matter that accumulates in the throat and lungs. It allays all irritation, and renders the voice clear and distinct. Sold by F. A. Baker.

## NEW FALL AND WINTER MILLINERY!

FANCY GOODS  
Lowest Prices For Cash,

—AT THE—  
Ladies' Bazaar, Mrs J. A. Smith, OAPAC, MICH.

AUCTION SALE.—G. W. Ball will sell by public auction for the undersigned at his residence 4 miles east of Brockway Centre, on Tuesday, April 17th all of his stock farming implements &c. ANDREW MEDDAUGH.

## Stock Growers.

All agree that for years we in these business no Powder is better calculated to give satisfactory results than those prepared by E. M. Parsones, because they really contain the valuable ingredients, and do not fail to act quickly and effectively in Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Flatulency, Stomachic Water and Poor Digestion, &c. In Bares. For cattle, dogs, sheep, poultry, they are valuable. Find pounds only 35 cents. Sold by G. A. Wells & Co.

FOR SALE.—One pair of horses weigh about 2,600, 7 last, sound. Terms easy. For further particulars apply to A. Howell, Brockway Centre.

## Incipient Consumption.

Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, &c. are all the results of colds or exposure, and must have prompt and active remedial to prevent them. Croup and Whooping Cough causes great suffering because an effective remedy is not at hand. Waynes' Cough Remedy is a very agreeable and safe remedy, and will relieve all these ailments. It is a powerful expectorant, and will remove all the phlegm and morbid matter that accumulates in the throat and lungs, and thus prevent the disease from becoming permanent. Price 25 cents per bottle. Sold by G. A. Wells & Co.

## PILES.

Piles are frequently preceded by a sense of weight in the back, loins and lower part of the abdomen, causing the patient to suppose he has some affection of the kidneys or neighboring organs. At times, symptoms of indigestion are present, as flatulency, uneasiness of the stomach, &c. A moisture like perspiration, producing a very disagreeable itching, particularly at night after getting warm in bed, is a very common attendant. I ter al, External and internal piles yield at once to the application of Dr. Bosanko's pile remedy, which acts directly upon the parts affected, absorbing the tumors, allaying the intense itching, and effecting a permanent cure. Where all other remedies have failed. Do not delay until the drain on the system produces permanent disability, but try it and be cured. Price, 50 cents. Ask your druggist for it, and when you can not obtain it of him, we will send it prepaid, on receipt of price. Address the Dr. Bosanko Medicine Co., Piqua, Ohio. Sold by F. A. Baker.

\$72 A week made at home by the

rest of the family. Capital not needed. We will start you. Men, women, boys and girls wanted everywhere to work for us. Now is the time. You can work in spare time, or give your whole time to the business. No other business will pay you nearly as well. No one can fail to make enormous pay, by engaging at once. Country calls and terms free. Send your name, easily and honorably. Address Tack and Co, Augusta, Maine.

## CARRIAGE SHOP!

Having lately erected a new Carriage shop in Brockway Centre I am now prepared to do all kinds of work in that business. I have a full stock of unmanufactured as well as manufactured work on hand. We warrant our work to be complete with any in the state, call and see us before making purchases elsewhere.

P. GILBERT.  
Shop in the rear of the Post-Office Store.

## REST

not life is everything by, and dare before you do something mighty and sublime leave behind to conquer time? \$99 a week in your own town, 45 cents free. No risk. Everything new. Capital not required. We will furnish you everything. Many are making fortunes. Ladies make as much as men, and boys and girls make great pay. Reader, if you want business at which you can make great pay all the time, write for particulars to H. H. Hays and Co, Portland, Me.

## NEW GOODS!

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PRICES AWAY DOWN.

Lower than the Lowest.

Call and examine our Wanted Dress Goods at 125 cents worth 20 cents. All wool Cashmere cheaper than ever. First from 4 we are up. A lovely Carpet for 60 cents, also a choice line of

Dress buttons and Trimmings in Silks, Satins, Pastermeries, and Laces, Hoods, Nubias, Furs and Fur Trimming.

And everything in the DRY GOODS LINE.

BOOTS, SHOES & GROCERIES!

A WELL KNOWN FACT.—That our TEAS are not to be beaten. Thanking our many friends for past favors and wishing for a pleasant continuance of the same. We remain,

A. & E. O'LEARY,  
BROCKWAY, MICH.

## IMPORTANT NOTICE!

The Subscriber has, in order to meet the growing wants of the community, laid in a large stock of

Funeral Goods, Searfs, Badges, Grape, Gloves, Embalming Fluid and Trimmings

of all kinds and for all Societies. Having had 25 years experience in the business he feels confident of being able to meet any demand at one hour's notice for either a cheap COFFIN as low as \$3 up to a Sutta Lined

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We have a Hearse for which no charge is made. Personal attendance given to all the details of a Funeral, if required. Residence opposite the school house, Brockway Centre.

James Brown.

## ATTENTION!

OUR DRY GOODS DEPARTMENT.

We have just received a new line of DRESS GOODS, PRINTS, DOUBLE FACE GOODS, Bleached and Unbleached Cotton, and will continue to add daily as new and desirable goods present themselves.

OUR CLOTHING DEPARTMENT

Has never been as well selected and neatly arranged as at present under our D. R. Brown who is accommodating, tasty and neat.

OUR BOOT and SHOE DEPARTMENT

Is immense in all kinds of Men's, Women's, Misses and Boys Shoes.

THE MILLINERY DEPARTMENT

Has received new Goods and Mrs Palmer is ready to wait on her numerous customers and Miss Rowe as a trimmer is unexcelled.

OUR GROCERY DEPARTMENT

Is complete in all lines kept in a first-class Grocery including Canned goods, and the Best 50 cent Tea in town.

W. H. PALMER.

## Big Inducements!

Offered Cash Buyers at

HOLDEN BROTHERS'!

## CHOICE GROCERIES.

ELEGANT LINE OF BOOTS & SHOES.

And a full stock of

DRY GOODS AND NOTIONS!

Which we offer at the Lowest Possible Price consistent with Good Goods.

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DRY GOODS,

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Our Spring goods are beginning to arrive.

We have the largest and finest store in the City.

We carry a large stock.

We do a large business.

Our prices are right.

And our customers get the benefit.

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